90, 1990-91, 1991-92 and April- October 92 are given below:—

(Rs. crores)

Items	Exports			
	1989-90 (P)	90-91	91-92	Apr-Oc 92 (P)
Garments	3227	4013	5422	384
Leather goods	1366	1879	2439	183
Stationery	9	11	24	1
Jewellery (incl. Imitation jewellery)	267	325	695	46

P: Provisional

(c) The Government has always adopted a responsive and flexible approach to providing facilities to exporters. Steps taken for export promotion comprises measures, such as allowing import of capital goods at concessional duties for export production, making available quality raw material, participation in buyer-seller meets, fairs and exhibitions abroad and organising man-power training.

Economic Co-operation with Spain

2369. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleaed to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to set up economic co-operation with Spain;

(b) whether it was decided during the last trip of the Spanish Prime Minister; and

(c) if so, the details of the Indo-Spanish joint collaboration proposed to be established?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) to (c) Govenment is making efforts to expand and diversify Indo-Spanish trade and economic relation. In this regard, during the recer visit of the Spanish Prime Ministe several areas of bilateral co-opera toin were indentified, including se ting up of joint ventures in machin tools, ship-building, food processin and fisheries, and utilisation c these facilities for export to thir countries. Besides, the Indo-Spanis Joint Business Council has bee reactivated for catalysing the nev impetus.

Export of Foodgrains

2370. SHRI SHANTI TYAGI: Wil the Minister of COMMERCE b pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have opposed the large scale export of foodgrains and totally opposed the export of coarse foodgrains; and

(b) whether Govt. are exporting superfine rice and if so, the details of its export during the last three years, year-wise?

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KAMALUDDIN AHMED) (a) Government's policy is to regulate exports of foodgrains in a manner that domestic availability is not affected.

(b) Export of basmati and super fine variety of non-basmati rice is allowed subject to Minimum Export Price (MEP) of US $ 555/PMT (FCB), and US $ 275/PMT (FOB) respectively. Figures of exports of rice for the last three years are as under:—

Qty. in MTs.
Value in Rs. Crores

Commodity	1989-90		1990-91		1991-92	
	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value
Basmati rice . . .	396895	412.20	241833	288.13	235590	435.12
Non-Basmati rice . .	26705	16.36	283314	169.39	525790	320.07

Steps taken to counter revival of super-301 by USA

2371. SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some steps have been taken with the new administration in USA under President Bill Clinton regarding reported plan to revive their bill for Supper-301 that could possibly adversely affect Indian Interests; and

(b) if so, what is the American administration's response thereto?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) A private member's bill to revive the Super 301 provision of the U.S. Trade Act was introduced in the Senate by Senator Max Baucus on 2nd February 1993. The bill seeks to revive the Super 301 provision for another five years.

It is considered too early to take up the matter with he new Administration.

(b) Does not arise.

Export Processing Zone, Vishakhapatnam

2372. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the budgetary allocation for the year 92-93 for the development of Export Processing Zone at Visakhapatnam in Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) by when it is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) Rupees 2.29 Crores.

(b) The basic internal infrastructure of the first phase of the zone's development is expected to be completed by the end of March, 1993.

Negotiations on Dunkel Draft

2373. SHRI INDER KUMAR GUJRAL: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the official team sent to negotiate Dunkel draft has returned; and